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In response to the Office Action, mailed on June 24, 2004, Applicant would like to elect Group I, claims 1-8, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 315. Please cancel Group II, claims 9-19, drawn to process of making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 201 without waiver, prejudice or disclaimer.

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